

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Servants – Sericulture – Disciplinary action initiated against Smt. K.Begum, Office Subordinate, O/o Asst. Director of Sericulture, Vizianagaram – Penalty of 3 Three annual grade increments with cumulative effect imposed by the Regional Joint Director of Sericulture, Visakhapatnam – Review filed – Review partly allowed – Penalty reduced Orders – Issued.

AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION (Vig.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No: 422

Dated: 07-04-2009

Read the following:-

1. Pro.No. 708/99 B2, dt. 30-10-2003 of the RJDS, Visakhapatnam.
2. From Sri K.Begum, Attender, Appeal Petition dt. Ni.
3. Proc.Rc.No.2293/2006 B3B, dated 9-10-2007 of the CoS, Hyderabad.
4. From the ADS, F1 Grainage, Vizianagaram Rc.NO. Estt/07 E, dt. 20-11-2007 along with Review Petition dt. 8-11-2007 of Smt. K.Begum, office Subordinate, o/o ADS, Vizianagaram district.
5. From the CoS, Hyd Lr.Rc.No. 3609/2008 B3 B, dated 13-10-2008.

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O R D E R:

In a disciplinary case, the Regional Joint Director of Sericulture, Visakhapatnam had initiated disciplinary proceedings against Smt. K.Begum, Office Subordinate, Office of the Asst. Director of Sericulture, Vizianagaram, and issued final orders awarding a penalty of stoppage of three annual grade increments with cumulative effect against her vide reference 1st read above.

2). Aggrieved by the above penalty, Smt. K.Begum, Office Subordinate, Office of the Asst. Director of Sericulture, Vizianagaram has submitted an appeal petition to the Commissioner of Sericulture, Hyderabad with a request to reconsider and reduce the quantum of punishment awarded against her vide reference 2nd read above. After examining the appeal petition, the Commissioner of Sericulture, Hyderabad has rejected the appeal petition, as it is time barred vide reference 3rd read above.

3). Aggrieved with the above orders, Smt. K.Begum, Attender has submitted a review petition stating that she has not committed any financial loss to the Government, nor violated any rules, but the Disciplinary Authority has awarded a major penalty of stoppage of 3 annual grade increments with cumulative effect and requested that the above punishment may be cancelled or to reduce, since she is lonely women and uneducated having small children.

4). Government after considering the facts and circumstances of the case observed that the punishment awarded against the individual is excessive and decided to reduce the penalty of (3) Three annual grade increments with cumulative effective imposed by the Regional Joint Director of Sericulture, Visakhapatnam to that of Stoppage of (1) One annual grade increment without cumulative effect against Smt. K.Begum, Office Subordinate, office of the Asst. Director of Sericulture, Vizianagaram.

5) Accordingly, Government hereby reduce the penalty of Stoppage of (3) Three annual grade increments with cumulative effect imposed by the Regional Joint Director of Sericulture, Visakhapatnam against Smt. K.Begum, Office Subordinate, office of the Asst. Director of Sericulture, Vizianagaram to that of stoppage of (1) One annual grade increment without cumulative effect.

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6). The Commissioner of Sericulture, A.P. Hyderabad is requested to take necessary action accordingly. The Original records received in the reference 5th read above is returned herewith.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

**Dr. S. CHELLAPPA
APC & PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To
Smt. K.Begum, Office Subordinate, O/o ADS, Vizianagaram
through the CoS, A.P. Hyderabad.
The Commissioner of Sericulture, A.P. Hyderabad (w.e.).
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// FORWARDED BY ORDER //

SECTION OFFICER